

In the Name of God Amen I John Willoughby Sen.
of Norfolk County Planter, being of perfect mind and me-
mory Doe this Second Day of August one Thousand Seven
hundred and Seventy Six, Make this my last Will and
Testament in manner following.

Item I Give and bequeath, to my Son John Willoughby my Man-
ner Plantation, with all the Land belonging to it & the Two
hundred and Seventeen Acres. called the Sandy Point, which
was taken up by myself and Patented with all the Slaves
ancient to it, they being Intaild.

Item I likewise give to my Son John Willoughby what Household
and Kitching Furniture that is now, in my Houses, on the
Manner Plantation excepting a large Cherry Tree Buffet
standing in the Hall, a Wire Glass Clock, and a large
Copper Kettle, to him and his Heirs forever.

I doe further give to my Son John Willoughby, my best
small Arm Bot. of Colo. Gucker, my Sword, one large
Seal Gold Ring one Silver Tea Pott, which is my dearest

I doo further give to my Son John Willoughby, my best
small Arm B^t. of Colo. Tucker, my Sword, one large
Seal Gold Ring one Silver Tea Pott, which is my desire
that my Wife should have her Life in, and after her
Death to receive the same, I give the same, to him and
his Heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath, to m^r. Thomas Pitson, his Account, as it
now stands on my Old Ledger, amounting in One Pound and half
to Three Hundred and Seventeen Pounds Sixteen Shillings
and Seven Pence with Shaves to wit; Negro Wench Teller
& her Child, Girl Phiby, boy Brown, to him and his Heirs
for ever

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Ann Willoughby in Bonds,
and Money, to the amount of Three Hundred and Forty Pounds,
which shall deliver her, myself, before please God I Die,
as she is of Age to receive the same with One Negro Girl,
Dinah, living with M^r. Thomas Pitson, a Daughter
of Teller, likewise One Negro Boy James a Son of

I willars; I give the same to her and her Heirs
I desire that the above Negro Boy James should
my Wife, as long as my Daughter Ann Remains single
I give and bequeath to my Wife Sarah Willoughby, with
part of my Household and Fitching Furniture she and my
Executors hereafter appointed, may see thought necessary
to keep for her own use, and the Remaining part to be sold,
and the Money carried to the Credit of my Estate.
I do desire, that my Lands in Nor-
folk Bought of Capt. George Myerson, D. D.
of Alos Jay and her Son William Jay, D. D. for
D. of Capt. John Smith and my part of the Town
Joint Company, should lie at the Discretion of my
Executors, and not to be sold as part of my Estate until
my children by my present Wife comes to the Ages of Four
Years; then if my Executors should be a Living, or
to my children, they may then make Sale of the
their Discretion and equally Divide the
M. Anne amongst them

Fillers; I give the same to her and her Heirs for Ever; It is my
Desire that the above Negro Boy James should continue in
my Wife, as long as my Daughter Ann Remains Single

Item I give and bequeath to my Wife Sarah Willoughby, what
part of my Household and Kitchen Furniture she and my
Executors hereafter appointed, may be thought necessary
to keep for her own use, and the Remaining part to be sold,
and the Money carried to the Credit of my Estate.

Item it is my desire, and I do desire it, that my Lands in Nor-
folk Bought of Capt. George Abbeys, D. B. S.
of Alice Jay and her Son William Jay, D. four Lots
B. of Capt. John Smith and my part of the Town
Point Company, should Lie at the Discretion of my
Executors, and not to be sold as part of my Estate untill
my Children by my present Wife comes to the Ages of Four-
teen Years, then if my Executors should be a Living, or
the Friends to my Children, they may then make Sale of the
said Lands, at their Discretion and equally Divide the Mo-

teen years, then if my Executors should be a living, or
the Friends to my children, they may then make Sale of the
said Lands, at their Discretion and equally Divide the Mo-
ney arising from the Sales, or the Lands, amongst my
Children, to wit Elizabeth Sarah, Mary, Margaret,
George Hyson, Merriam, Allen, and the Child my Wife
is now Big with. —

in mean Time if there can be any Profits made from
said Lands, that my Wife should receive the same During
Life, or my children living with ~~with~~ her

Item I desire after my Death, that all my Stock of Horses bat-
tle, Sheep, and hogs, with every Article on my Plantations
that is usefles to my Wife and children and of noe immedi-
ate service to them, be sold, my Wife making a reserve
for herself and children, my little Maid, my youngest
Six or Eight Milk cows, 20 head of the best Sheep
the best and largest hogs, for house use, and 10 head
for another year, with 2 of the best bred
Money arising from the Sales to be given

to the credit of my Estate.

I give and bequeath to my Wife Sarah Willoughby during her Life, the use and profits, of what Slaves I have now remaining on my Plantation, towards the supporting of herself and her Children by me. I likewise give my Wife during Life the Profits of my whole Personal Estate, consisting in Bonds Money or any other Article or Articles whatsoever for the supporting herself, Educating and maintaining my Children by her, and after her Death I give and bequeath, the whole of my Personal Estate, including my Lands in the Borough of Norfolk, Negroes, Bonds, Money, or any other Article whatsoever, to be divided and equally divided amongst my Children, to wit, Elizabeth, Sarah, Mary, Margaret, George Myron, Meriam Allen, and the Child she is now big with, to them and their Heirs for Ever. ^{That} it is my Will and desire that in case any Child or Children, by my present Wife, should happen to die before coming to lawfull Age, or Married, then and in that case, I give their Part of the Estate so given them, to be divided and

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to lawfull Age, or Married, then and in that case, I give
their Part of the Estate so given them, to be divided and
equally divided amongst those that are living, to them and
their Heirs for Ever.

Item I must desire it of my Executors, to get my Book Debts
and those Bonds, that seems to be doubtfull of, collected as
soon, as it can be done, and put the Money in the Hands of
those that may be thought secure, and will pay the In-
terest when it becomes due.

Item and as it pleases God that I must die poor, and leaving
behind me a Wife, and a Number of small children
owing to misfortunes, its my Desire that my Golden
Watch, my largest Silver Tankard, my largest Cha-
-nia Bowls, and many other Articles that my
can do without, be sold when my Executors
proper and the Money carried to the Credit
Item its my desire that my just Deb.

as possible it can be done, tho if common justice, and bene-
fice to my Estate there ^{to} may be but few accounts to com-
in against it, And Lastly I hereby Nominate and ap-
-point my Friends, Capt. George Myson, Mr. Thomas
Wilson my Son John Willoughby Executors, and my Wife
Executrix, of this my last Will and Testament, in
Witness ~~whereof~~ ^{of} I ~~hereunto~~ ^{hereunto} Sett my Hand and
affixed my Seal the Day and Year first before Writing
Signed Sealed Published, and

Declared by the Testator, to be
his last Will and Testament
in Presence of us,

John Willoughby Senr Seal

Smith Barrett
John Williams Secy
John ^{his} Mason
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